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Beautifully legible is the handwriting in the autograph manuscript of "Home Sweet Home," which John Howard Payne, its author, wrote "just before leaving the United States on his last journey to Tunis, where he had been reappointed consul." The manuscript is on Payne's monogram stationery and dated Washington, March 28, 1851. It brought \$600, which was paid by Mr. Madigan. *Monahan Jan 13, 1934*

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**AUTOGRAPHS BRING \$14,903**

Six Letters by Author of 'Home Sweet Home' Sell for \$1,450.

Autographs and manuscripts by famous authors and others brought a total of \$14,903 last night at an auction in the Union Art Galleries, 45 West Fifty-seventh Street.

Six letters written by John Howard Payne, who wrote "Home Sweet Home," were purchased by Gabriel Wells for \$1,450. John Galsworthy's original manuscript of the dramatized version of his story, "The First and the Last," also went to Mr. Wells, the price being \$1,350.

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# Palace in Paris 300 Years Old to Be Restored

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## Known as Palais Royal Where John Howard Payne Wrote "Home, Sweet Home"

When John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home," wrote "Mid Pleasures and Palaces," he was living in a French palace, the Palais Royal in Paris, which is now to be restored for the International Exposition in 1937. His story has it that Payne was disappointed in love during his stay in France, and that fact may have inspired the melancholy of the song.

The palace he lived in is a rectangular building enclosing an old world garden. More than 300 years old, it has had many famous Americans as well as Frenchmen within its doors. There, in the 1770's, John Paul Jones, naval hero of the Revolutionary War, called to visit the Duc de Chartres and was entertained at dinner, during which the duchess gave him a watch which had belonged to her grandfather, a naval commander, and John Paul Jones promised her an English frigate in return. When he returned to Paris later, he presented her with a sword surrendered to him by an English commander.

The Palais Royal is also a famous landmark of the days of the French Revolution. There Camille Desmoullins inflamed the people with a revolutionary speech on July 12, 1789, just two days before the mob destroyed the Bastille. Later the palace was a center of fashion, and it was there that Napoleon used to meet his friends to discuss plans for a new France.



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# HOME! SWEET HOME!

**ANDANTE.**

'Mid pleas\_ures and  
 pal\_a\_ces though we may roam, Be it e\_ \_ \_ ver so hum\_ \_ \_ ble there's  
 no place like home; A charm from the skies seems to hal\_ \_ low us  
 there, Which, seek through the world, is ne'er met with else where,  
**Espress:**  
 Home! Home! sweet, sweet home There's no place like home There's  
**Largo.**  
 no place like home.

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An exile from home, splendour dazzles in vain,  
 Oh! give me my lowly thatch'd cottage again.  
 The birds singing gaily that came at my call,  
 Give me them with peace of mind, dearer than all:  
 Home, sweet home! There's no place like home.

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